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State of New Mexico  
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

Oil Conservation Division  
1220 South St. Francis Dr.  
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Form C-141  
Revised October 10, 2003

Submit 2 Copies to appropriate  
District Office in accordance  
with Rule 116 on back  
side of form

30-015-25665

## Release Notification and Corrective Action

n MLB 0530855797

## OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company	Yates Petroleum Corp.	25361	Contact	Dan Dolan
Address	105 S. 4 <sup>th</sup> St., Artesia NM 88210		Telephone No.	748-4181
Facility Name	Compromisc #1 SWD		Facility Type	SWD

Surface Owner	State	Mineral Owner	State	Lease No.
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## LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
H	30	18S	27E					Eddy

Latitude \_\_\_\_\_ Longitude \_\_\_\_\_

## NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release	Produced Water	Volume of Release	1500bbl	Volume Recovered	1300bbl
Source of Release	Hole in flow line	Date and Hour of Occurrence	10-24-05, 0700	Date and Hour of Discovery	10-24-05, 0700
Was Immediate Notice Given?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Mike Bratcher, Artesia OCD			
By Whom?	Dan Dolan	Date and Hour 10-24-05, 1330hrs			
Was a Watercourse Reached?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse.			

If a Watercourse was impacted, Describe Fully.\*

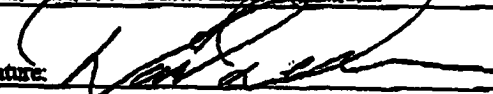
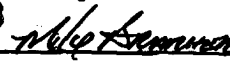
Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\*

Hole in flow line from battery to wellhead, Repaired.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*

Area was 450ftX100ft, water was picked up by vacuum truck, initial testing was made for TPH and Chlides, ranking for this area, depth to ground water-20, wellhead protection area-0 distance to surface water-0

I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and understand that pursuant to NMOC rules and regulations all operators are required to report and/or file certain release notifications and perform corrective actions for releases which may endanger public health or the environment. The acceptance of a C-141 report by the NMOC marked as "Final Report" does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that poses a threat to ground water, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, NMOC acceptance of a C-141 report does not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.

Signature: 	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION		
Printed Name: Dan Dolan	TIM GUM Approved by District Supervisor: by MB 		
Title: Environmental Regulatory Agent	Approval Date: 11/4/05	Expiration Date: n/a	
E-mail Address: ddolan@ypcnn.com	Conditions of Approval:		Attached <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Date: 11-01-05	Phone: 748-4181		

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary



# NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

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**Oil Conservation Division**

Yates Petroleum Corporation  
105 S. 4<sup>th</sup> St.  
Artesia, NM 88210

November 4, 2005

Re: Compromise SWD 001

H-30-18s-27e

API: 30-015-25665

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division District II Office (NMOCD) is in receipt of an Initial Report C-141 reporting a produced fluids release that occurred on 10/24/2005 at or near the above referenced well site.

Please submit a Corrective Action Work Plan to this office for correction/remediation of this release. Please use the "Guidelines For Remediation of Leaks, Spills, and Releases" as your guide.

This document may be found on the NMOCD web site: [www.emnrd.state.nm.us/ocd](http://www.emnrd.state.nm.us/ocd), under Publications/Environmental Handbook/Miscellaneous Guidelines/Spill Prevention Clean up.

The work plan presented to the NMOCD must include general site characteristics, site ranking score, soil remediation action levels, soil remediation methods, and planned analytical testing for TPH, B-TEX, Chlorides or any other CoCs as applicable.

A Final Report Form C-141 is required to be submitted upon satisfactory completion of project, and must include a report of remediation actions taken with final confirmation sample analysis results attached.

Like approval by BLM required if applicable.

Please have the requested work plan in the Artesia office on or before **December 2, 2005**. The NMOCD District II Office must be notified 24 hours prior to commencement of remediation actions and 24 hours prior to samples being obtained where analysis of such samples are to be submitted to the NMOCD.

In the event that a satisfactory response is not received to this letter further enforcement will occur. Such enforcement may include this office applying to the Division for an order summoning you to a hearing before a Division Examiner in Santa Fe. Such a hearing may result in imposition of **CIVIL PENALTIES** for your violation of NMOCD rules.

If I can be of assistance in this matter, my contact information is listed below.

Sincerely,

Mike Bratcher

NMOCD District 2

1301 W. Grand Ave.

Artesia, NM 88210

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